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I have this day had the honor to receive your Excellency's dispatch of the 23rd inst. informing me, Among other matters of the recent death of the late Senior member of the delegated Bench of Justice on the Island under your Command with request to appoint in his stead one of three individuals named by you. -

In Reply I beg leave to observe that I will communicate with His Excellency the Governor of Curacao on this subject by the first opportunity, and to request you, in the meantime to qualify Mr. James Norton to act as youngest member of said Delegated Bench of Justice, awaiting the decision of His Excellency the Governor of Curacao & dependencies. -

J. P. de Ruyter

To
His Excellency
the Governor
of Saba